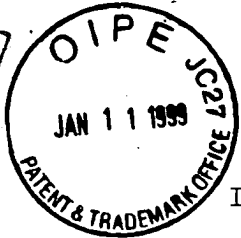


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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Examiner's action mailed October 6,  
1998, please amend the application, as follows:

In the claims:

Amend claim 1 to read as follows:

--1. (Twice Amended) A method of reducing [mammalian]  
human androgen-stimulated hair growth which comprises  
selecting an area of skin on a human from which reduced  
androgen-stimulated hair growth is desired; and  
applying to said area of skin a dermatologically  
acceptable composition comprising a non-steroidal suppressor of  
angiogenesis in an amount effective to reduce androgen-stimulated  
hair growth.--

Cancel claim 27, without prejudice.

In claim 28, line 1, replace "27" with --1--.

Amend claim 42 to read as follows:

--42. (Twice Amended) A method of reducing human  
androgen-stimulated [mammalian] hair growth which comprises

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